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IN THE NATION**Ike Hits K's View of '60**

Washington, July 30 (UPI)—Former President Eisenhower today dismissed as "silly" Nikita Khrushchev's claim that the Soviet Union assured Richard M. Nixon's defeat in the 1960 Presidential election. "I think he made up something," Eisenhower said on TV's Issues and Answers program in commenting on the former Soviet premier's statement during a televised interview July 11. Khrushchev said the Kremlin "made" the late John F. Kennedy President when it ignored an appeal by Nixon for the release of U-2 pilot Francis Gary Powers, thus hurting Nixon politically.

**Khrushchev**